

# News Advisory



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## California State Historical Resources Commission To Consider Ten Properties for Action

**WHAT:** California State Historical Resources Commission will consider ten nominations for federal and state historic designation. Nominations and photographs of properties under consideration are available at [http://ohp.parks.ca.gov/?page\\_id=24368](http://ohp.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=24368).

**National Register of Historic Places** nominations scheduled for action include:

**Arroyo Seco Parkway**

**Los Angeles & Pasadena**

**Los Angeles County**

*An 8.2 mile stretch of highway between downtown Los Angeles and Pasadena, constructed between 1938 and 1953. Significant for its role in Los Angeles transportation planning and roadway construction, association with Los Angeles City Engineer Lloyd Aldrich, and its bridge and tunnel architecture. As the prototype freeway in California, the first six-mile section is significant for new concepts in highway design, engineering and safety features. The Four-Level Interchange, the last section built, became the model for freeway-to-freeway interchange in California.*

**Dixon Carnegie Library**

**Dixon**

**Solano County**

*This 1912 Carnegie Library is significant for the role it has played in the community's educational, cultural, and social development. Constructed when Dixon's population was only 1,000 persons, the library speaks to the aspirations and forward-thinking of the town's early leaders.*

**Harmony Grove Church**

**Lockeford**

**San Joaquin County**

*An 1861 Methodist Episcopal church constructed in Greek Revival style and remodeled in Gothic Revival style in 1868. Eligible for its role in the early settlement of California's central valley and its association with both Greek and Gothic Revival architectural styles, and as a rare surviving example of an early Protestant brick church in California's Great Central Valley.*

**Katherine Emery Estate**

**San Marino**

**Los Angeles County**

*A 1928 Tudor Revival residence and designed landscape, a prominent Southern California residential example of the 1920s work of master architect Myron Hunt and landscape architects Florence Yoch, Lucille Council, and Katherine Bashford.*



**North Star House/Foote Mansion    Grass Valley**

**Nevada County**

*Constructed as the residence of A.D. Foote, chief engineer of the North Star Mine from 1895 to 1913, significant within the context of the development of Grass Valley's mining history. Designed by architect Julia Morgan only one year after beginning her own architectural practice the Foote residence illustrates the architect's sophisticated grasp of the First Bay Tradition. In addition, the house is significant as the place, from 1905 to the 1930s, where author and illustrator Mary Hallock Foote, wife of A.D. Foote, wrote serialized short stories and novels for Harper's Weekly, Scribner's Monthly, and Century Magazine.*

**Thomas O'Donnell Residence**

**Palm Springs**

**Riverside County**

*A 1925 Spanish Colonial Revival house built overlooking the valley floor, and the last component of the Desert Inn, the first luxury resort hotel of Palm Springs that fueled the growth of the village.*

**Captain & Mrs. A.J. Peterson  
Residence**

**Coronado**

**San Diego County**

*A rare Modern Post and Beam residence designed by the late Master Architect Homer Delawie, FAIA. Prominently located on a broad view-oriented boulevard, it is the only Delawie residence in Coronado, a community known for its layered architectural diversity.*

**Rialto Building**

**San Francisco**

**San Francisco County**

*Initially constructed during the building boom in San Francisco at the turn of the twentieth century, this commercial office building with Renaissance Revival architectural details became symbolic of city recovery efforts when its exterior shell survived the Earthquake and Fire of 1906 and the building was reconstructed in 1910.*

**San Francisco Juvenile Court  
and Detention Home**

**San Francisco**

**San Francisco County**

*A nine-story, reinforced concrete building constructed in 1916, associated with the development of the city's juvenile justice system during the early twentieth century and the work of master architect Louis Christian Mullgardt.*

**California Register of Historical Resources** nominations scheduled for action include:

**Bailey House**

**Manhattan Beach**

**Los Angeles County**

*A 1922 California bungalow. The Bailey House's use of Craftsman style adapted to this small lot and pedestrian street reflects the period when Manhattan Beach was transitioning from a community of vacation cottages to a community of small homes connected with Los Angeles by the nearby Pacific Electric Railway line. Its eclectic character reflects the builder's adaptation of the Craftsman bungalow style to this oceanside site.*

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**Sacramento Municipal Utilities District (SMUD)**

**City of Elk Grove**

**Sacramento Heritage, Inc.**

**Dreyfuss & Blackford Architects**

**Trish Fernandez**

**WHEN:** 9 a.m. Friday, November 5, 2010

**WHERE:** SMUD Headquarters Building  
Auditorium  
6201 S Street  
Sacramento, California 95817

The public may present oral statements at the hearing at the appropriate time. Written comments about any subject on the agenda may be submitted to Milford Wayne Donaldson, FAIA, State Historic Preservation Officer, Office of Historic Preservation, Post Office Box 942896, Sacramento, California 94296-0001.

Inquiries may be directed to Recording Secretary Twila Willis-Hunter by phone at (916) 445-7052, by fax at (916) 445-7053 or by mail to the State Historical Resources Commission, Post Office Box 942896, Sacramento, California 94296-0001. Notices and agendas for the Commission's workshop and meeting are available at [www.ohp.parks.ca.gov](http://www.ohp.parks.ca.gov) ten days before the meeting.

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